



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Bill Arndell and Herbert Gillis

Serial No.: 10/724,976

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For: Laminated Wood Products and  
Process for Making the Same

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Group Art Unit: 1733

Examiner: Samchuan Cua Yao

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FILED WITH  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Mail Stop Amendments  
Commissioner of Patents  
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Att'y Docket No. WUR 50906/US/2

Date: March 17, 2006

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Applicants submit this Preliminary Amendment in conjunction with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination. Before considering the present Application further on its merits, Applicants request that the following amendments be entered and the accompanying remarks considered. Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.